



who evolved this toast: "Our fire-engines, may they be like old maids—ever ready, but never wanted."

A physician has discovered that the call of a rattlesnake will cure its bite. But the same thing isn't true of a book agent.

A difference: A friend of mine, when told of the death of a well-known stock dealer, replied: "Why, he's worse off than I am. I'm dead broke; but he's a dead broker."

Teacher: "You must not come to my school any more Tommy, until your mother has recovered from the smallpox."

Tommy: "There ain't a bit of danger. She ain't going to give me the smallpox."

"Why, how is that?"

"She's my step-mother; she never gives me anything."

A Connecticut woman has embroidered the words and music of "Home Sweet Home" on a linen sheet which is on the spare-room bed. Her guests have not decided whether the hostess means to indicate that they must feel at home or had better go home.

A man will excuse any fault in the woman who is not his wife.

A man's work is from sun to sun, and woman's work descends from daughter to daughter.

It is said that three of the stingiest men in the state were in town yesterday. One of them will not drink as much water as he wants unless it is from another man's well. The second forbids any of his family from writing anything but a "small hand" as it is a waste of ink to make large letters. The third stops his clock at night in order to save wear and tear on the machinery. All of them decline to take their county paper on the ground that it is a terrible strain on their spectacles to read newspapers, even in the day time.

There have been times, no doubt, when many of the boys and girls have been puzzled about the proper use of *ei* and *ie* in such words as receive and believe, which have the

long *e* sound, nor need they feel ashamed to acknowledge it, for many grown-ups confess to the same weakness. There is a very simple rule, however, easily borne in mind, that will help you forever to overcome this doubt. The consonants *c* and *s* should be followed by *ei*, and all other consonants by *ie* except that in two words—"siege" and "sieve"—the *s* is followed by *ie*. Is not this an easy thing to remember?

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or "sneeze"; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

ALLIANCE MAN TO ADDRESS ORGANIZED AGRICULTURE

The opening address at the annual meeting of the twenty-eight bodies of Organized Agriculture to be held at Lincoln, January 15 to 20, 1917, will be given by F. M. Seidell of Alliance, county agricultural agent for Box Butte county. His subject, which is one of the greatest importance to the farmers of western Nebraska and also to prospective farmers in this territory, will be, "The Importance of the Potato Industry in Nebraska." It is but natural that Mr. Seidell was chosen to address Organized Agriculture on this important subject for he is perhaps in closer touch with the potato activities of Nebraska as it effects the

grower than anyone else because he is county agent for Nebraska's banner potato county—Box Butte.

Speakers are now being secured from the various society secretaries for the different programs and a thorough discussion in each department of farm life will be one of the leading features. Each one of the twenty-eight organizations will hold business meetings and elect officers for the coming year. A general committee of seven have charge of the arrangements, of which W. R. Mellor is chairman and C. W. Pugzley, University State Farm, Lincoln, is secretary.

HIG STOCK SHOW ON IN CHICAGO THIS WEEK

This, the first week in December, is the big week for farmers to visit Chicago as the International Live Stock Show is the event which calls together the members of the National Organization in the various breeds of animals.

Many other farmer organizations take advantage of the opportunity for a good attendance for their specific meeting so that a Chicago visitor this week finds meetings of some kind at nearly all of the leading down-town hotels in addition to those held at the Union Stock Yards.

POULTRY WINTER QUARTERS

Bulletin No. 211 of the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture has the following to say regarding winter quarters for poultry: "Have you prepared the poultry house for severe winter weather? If not, why not do so at once? Do not wait until the damage has been done, but get at it right away. By attention now you will relieve much suffering by your fowls and their comfort will repay in less fatalities in the flock and more eggs during the winter months. Those who fail to prepare for the comfort of poultry now will be compelled to work at it during the icy northern blasts of the winter, so why not now?"

TO OUR PATRONS

During the past year prices of practically everything in the laundry business have advanced. On account of this we regret that we are com-

elled to announce an advance of 10 per cent in our prices, which will be added to each list.

ALLIANCE STEAM LAUNDRY.

1-31-7858

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Brewed Tea, or, as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Oil

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 25 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

Office supplies at The Herald office. Phone 340.

DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the slates of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidities and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have hollow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

ALLIANCE WON FROM SCOTTSBLUFF HIGH

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Hood proved the most consistent ground gainer for the locals. These three men also starred on the defense, stopping many of the visitors after they had gone through the line.

Following is the score by quarters:

Alliance	13	7	0	20	40
Scottsbluff	7	9	0	0	16

The following touchdowns were made: Alliance—Burns, 2; Dickinson, 1; Davenport, 1; Fenning, 1; Lotspeich, 1. Scottsbluff—Burnham, 1.

The following was the lineup for the game:

Turkey Day Lineup	
Alliance	Scottsbluff
Burns	McCubbin
Donovan	Hood
Thomas	Boyer
Yandera	Eastman
Bennett	Westover
Snyder	Baldrige
Butler, O'Conner	Harper
Dickinson	Burnham
Fenning	Hans
Lotspeich	Parks
Davenport	H. Hood

The officials were: Dr. Stannard of Morrill, referee; W. W. McElroy of Scottsbluff, umpire, and J. J. Motherhead of Scottsbluff, head lineman.

NEBRASKA MEN WILL DOMINATE CONVENTIONS

Omaha, Neb.—Nebraska men will dominate the program of the Nebraska Farmers' Congress and the Midwest Implement Dealers' Association when they hold their simultaneous meetings in Omaha, December 12 to 14.

On the farmers' program are these names: H. C. Filly, University of Nebraska; T. E. Sturgeon, Omaha; C. E. Slatt, Elmer; W. H. Campbell, Clark; J. H. Linder, Berwyn; Chas. Davis, Colon; D. H. Anderson, Neligh; N. P. Lund, Blair; J. O. Shroyer, Humboldt; H. A. Collins, Papillion; Chancellor S. Avery and A. O. Thomas, Lincoln; Chas. Graff, Dean E. A. Burnett, and Prof. H. F. Williams.

The implement dealers will hear talks from C. E. Gallagher, Coleridge; C. H. Clancy, Omaha; S. R. McKelvie, Lincoln; A. E. Hansen, Upland; Nathan Roberts, Lincoln; A. E. Hildebrand, Omaha; T. G. Wiles, Cherokee, Kans., and N. H. Williams, Lincoln.

CORN SHOW TO BE HELD JANUARY 15 TO 20

A corn show is to be one of the big features of Organized Agriculture Week at the University Farm, Lincoln, January 15 to 20, when twenty-eight agricultural societies meet simultaneously for annual sessions. The corn show is to be held in connection with the apple, flower, and potato show, both occupying the same city auditorium. The home economics association is arranging to have an exhibit at the university farm campus.

Special attention is to be paid to Nebraska youngsters who are growing corn. Separate classes will be provided for boys who have grown their corn without the help from adults, and for boys who personally and independently select the ears they wish to enter from corn grown on land operated by a relative, entries being limited to boys from 10 to 18 years of age, inclusive.

HARMAN NOT APPLICANT

Clarence E. Harman, who for the past four years has been state food commissioner, states that he is not a candidate for reappointment to his position, and that he will retire when the new administration comes into office.

PUBLIC SALE

I, the undersigned, will sell at Public Auction at my farm 9 miles north and 2 miles east of Alliance, Nebraska, on

TUESDAY, DEC. 12, 1916

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

26	Head of Cattle	26
8	Milk Cows	
1	Milk Cow with calf by side	
5	Yearling Heifers	
3	Yearling Steers	
8	Spring Calves	
1	Registered Shorthorn Bull	
5	Head of Mules	5
1	Span 2-Year-Old Mules	
4	Yearling Mules	
20	Heads of Shoats	20
	Weight about 100 Pounds Each	

19	Head of Horses	19
1	Span Dark Gray Mares, 5 and 4 years old	
1	Span Brown Geldings, 3 and 4 years old	
1	3-Year-Old Black Gelding	
1	Percheron Stable Horse, black, 8 years old, range broke	
1	2-Year-Old Bay Gelding	
1	Span Sucking Colts	
1	Roan Mare, Smooth Mouth, with foal	
1	Gray Mare, 7 years old, with foal	
1	Bay Mare, Smooth Mouth, with foal	
1	Span 5 Years Old	
3	4-Year-Olds	
1	Span Yearling Colts	
	About 500 bu. of Oats	

Farm Machinery, Etc.

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| 1 4-Horsepower Gasoline Engine | 1 Deere Mower |
| 1 Power Washing Machine and Wringer | 1 8-ft. Deering Binder |
| 1 Feed Grinder | 1 8-ft. Disc-seeder |
| 1 Tank Heater | 1 8 ft. King Drill |
| 1 Feed Cooker | 1 3-section Harrow |
| 1 10-ft. Acme Hay rake | 1 Goodenough Sulky Plow |
| 1 Johnson Mower | 2 Sets Work Harness |
| | 2 Sets Driving Harness |

Thoroughbred Geese and Turkeys. Other articles too numerous to mention

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—SIX MONTHS TIME ON BANKABLE PAPER ON ALL SUMS OVER \$10.00, AT TEN PER CENT.

Wm. Rust, Jr., Owner

Auctioneer:—H. P. Coursey

Clerk:—J. M. Walker

"Just What I Want!"

"Give me cake made with Calumet—I know what I'm getting—I know it's pure, wholesome, nourishing, tempting and tasty."

"It's all in Calumet's wonderful leavening and raising power—its absolute purity. Use Calumet for uniform results and economy."

Received Highest Awards
New Cakes Baked From—
See Slip in Food Can.



Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

Lloyd's Column

How to Start a Garage
Bliss Sturgeon, of the Sturgeon Garage, tells of a friend of his, Trabert by name, who has a recipe for getting started in business very cheaply. Trabert says that all that is needed to start an auto garage is six Ford spark plugs and four timers. The first Ford owner who comes along says his motor is not working properly. You take out his four spark plugs and take off the timer, putting in four new plugs and a new timer, charging him therefor \$6.50 for the new plugs and the timer, and \$11.75 for the work. You then clean up the plugs taken out and monkey with the timer a little—you are then ready for the next one who comes along. By repeating this performance only a few times a day your profits will be very heavy and your heart light, while the happy Ford owners go blissfully on, running their cars on their reputation.

PHILOSOPHY
The late Henry James, the novelist used to poke a good deal of fun at "pragmatism," his brother William's new kind of philosophy.

"Philosophy," he once said, "has been liked to a blind man searching a dark room for a black hat that isn't there."

"Pragmatism, on the other hand rather reminds me of the dialogue of Mike and Pat:

"Can I know what I don't know?" says Mike.

"No, says Pat.

"Well, there's a certain thing I don't know and I know it. Then don't I know what I know?"

"I don't know,"—Washington Star.

AN ACCOMMODATING STRANGER

One of our friends, one of the few who voted against the dry amendment in Nebraska this fall, recently shipped some stock to Denver. After he had disposed of his stock at the stockyards he remembered that Colorado was dry and started on a still hunt for some place to procure a drink of "red eye." He accosted a stranger who was passing with a package under his arm and said, "Say stranger, where can I get a quart of good whiskey?" The stranger replied, "If you'll give me three dollars and hold my package a minute I will get a quart for you." Joe, being very dry, dug up the three bones and held the stranger's package. After waiting an hour for the stranger to return he became convinced that he had been buncoed and opened the package to find what was contained therein. Imagine his surprise to find that the contents of the package was a quart of fine whiskey. Joe is still wondering how it happened.

Paternalism, (reading doctor's bill): "Well, doctor, I have no objection to pay you for the medicine, but I will return the visita."

There is talk of lynching the man